tribal groups in Bihar and Orissa are as under:

(Rs. in Lakhs)

	Bihar	Orissa
1985-86	56.00	55.00
1986-87	62.00	75.90
1987-88	62.13	76.06

Statement

S.No.	Identified Primitive Tribal Groups	Total population as per 1971 Census
	A. Bihar :	
1	Asur	7328
2	Birhor	4590
3	Birjia	4025
4	Korwa	21637
5	Mal Paharia	96135
6	Parhaiya	26328
7	Hill Khari	2764
8	Savar	3540
9	Saüria Paharia	19481
	B. Orrisa :	
1	Didayi	3055
2	Mankirdia	133
3	Lodha	1598
4	Kharia	1259
5	Bonoo	3870
6	Dongria Khond	2676
7	Juang	3181
8	Kutia Khond	3016
9	Lanjia Soura	4223
10	Paudi Bhuyans	4424
11	Saora	2845
12	Birhor	248

Promotion of deep sea-fishing

1333. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government proopse to take steps to promote deep sea fishing; and

(b) if so the details, thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) Government have taken a number of steps to promote deep sea fishing; important among them are:—

(i) Augmentation of deep sea fishing fleet through judicious mix indigenous, imported and chartered fishing vessels.

(ii) Provision of 33 per cent subsidy on the cost of indigenously constructed deep sea fishing vessels.

(iii) Provision of loan facility on soft terms by Shipping Credit & Investment Company of India Limited.

(iv) Systematic and intensive survey of fishery resources in Indian Exclusive Economic Zone.

(v) Assistance for construction of fishing harbours at major and minor ports.

(vi) Training of deep sea fishing operatives for manning the fishing vessels; and

(vii) Regulaion of fishing by foreign vessels in the Exclusive Economic Zone and by Indian owned vessels in the Territorial waters.

Production of pulses

1334. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the nature of incentives given and the measures taken by Government so far to raise the production of pulses in the country;

(b) the percentage of increase in the production of pulses at the end of 1987

as a result thereof and how does it compare with the production of pulses in the year 1985 and 1986;

(c) the reasons for the low production, if any, of pulses as against the target at the end of 1987, and

(d) the percentage of increase/decline in the per capita availability of pulses at the end of 1987 as compared to the per capita availability at the end of 1985 and 1986?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) One of the steps taken to raise the production of pulses is introduction of National Pulses Development Programme (NPDP) at the State Level. Under NPDP incentives are being given on (i) Distribution of Minikits (ii) Organisation of Block Demonstration (iii) Adaptive trials (iv) Supply of Biological parasites (v) Distribution of Plant Protection Chemicals (vi) Stocking and Pre-positioning of seeds and (vii) organisation of seed villages and training.

To increase the production of Pulses in the country the Programmes of Area expansion and also increase in the yield levels have been emphasised.

(b) and (c) The production of pulses during 1985-86 and 1986-87 was 13.36 and 11.74 million tonnes respectively. Though the year 1987-88 experienced the worst drought of the country, it is estimated that the pulse production level may be around 11 million tonnes.

(d) The availability of pulses in 1985 and 1986 was 38.1 and 40.6 grams per capita per day respectively. As regards the availabilty of Pulses for the year 1987, it is yet to be estimated by the Bureau of Economics & Statistics.

Rise in wages of the Industrial workers

1335. SHRIMATI KANAK MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state what are the reasons for rise in money wage and real wage of industrial workers in the country year-wise from 1985 to 1988?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI BINDESHWARI DUBEY): Information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House.

Outstanding amount of Provident Fund to be realised from employers in West Bengal

1336. SHRIMATI KANAK MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total amount of Provident Fund of workers to be deposited by the employers in West Bengal as on the 30th June, 1988; and

(b) what action is being taken to realise the amounts?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI BINDESWARI DUBEY): (a) The information as on 30.6.1988 is not readily available. However, the arrears of EPF contribution as on 31.12.1987 was as given below:—

(i) Unexempted establishments Rs. 9.19 crores

(ii) Exempted establishments Rs. 88.48 crores.

(b) The E.P.F. authorities are generally taking the following action for realisation of the outstanding dues :—

(i) Issuing of Recovery Certificates under section 8 of the EPF Act for recovery of dues in respect of unexempted establishments;

(ii) Filing of prosecution cases under section 14 of the EPF Act in respect of unexempted establishments;

(iii) Filing of prosecution cases under section 14(2A) of the EPF Act in cases of default on the part of exempted establishments;

(iv) Filing of complaints under section 406|409 IPC in cases of non-payment of contribution deducted from the wages of the employees;

(v) Levying of damages under section 14B of the EPF Act.